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         PRODUCING ALCOHOLS USING THE ENZYMES

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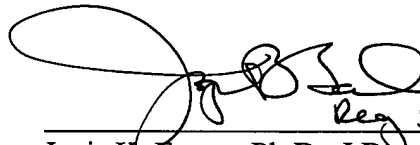
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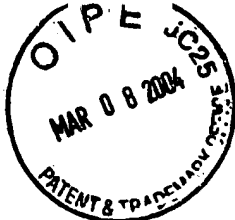
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**SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to examination, please amend the application as indicated on the following pages.  
The following amendments assume entry of the amendment filed on January 27, 2004.

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